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Honorable James H. Welsh  
Commissioner of Conservation  
P. O. Box 94275  
Baton Rouge, Louisiana 70804-9275

**RE: Hosston Formation, Reservoir B  
Cotton Valley Formation, Reservoir B  
Woodardville Field  
Bienville and Red River Parishes, Louisiana**

**APPLICATION FOR PUBLIC HEARING**

Dear Sir:

Will-Drill Production Co., Inc. hereby makes application pursuant to the revised rules of procedure for a public hearing to consider evidence relating to the following matters pertaining to the Hosston Formation, Reservoir B, and the Cotton Valley Formation, Reservoir B, in the Woodardville Field, Bienville and Red River Parishes, Louisiana:

1. To establish four additional drilling and production units for the exploration for and production of gas and condensate from the Hosston Formation, Reservoir B, in the Woodardville Field, Bienville and Red River Parishes, Louisiana, to be designated HOSS RB SUAA, HOSS RB SUBB, HOSS RB SUCC, and HOSS RB SUDD, as shown outlined on the plats attached hereto and made a part hereof;
2. To establish four additional drilling and production units for the exploration for and production of gas and condensate from the Cotton Valley Formation, Reservoir B, in the Woodardville Field, Bienville and Red River Parishes, Louisiana, to be designated CV RB SUAA, CV RB SUBB, CV RB SUCC, and CV RB SUDD as shown outlined on the plats attached hereto and made a part hereof;
3. To force pool and integrate all of the separately owned tracts, mineral leases and other property interests located within the proposed units in accordance with

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Section 10, Title 30, of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, with each tract sharing in unit production on a surface acreage basis of participation;

4. To authorize the down hole or well bore combination of hydrocarbons produced from the Hosston Formation, Reservoir B, and the Cotton Valley Formation, Reservoir B, in the Woodardville Field insofar as units for these respective zones are concerned provided the ownership within said units and zones are the same;
5. To extend the field rules established by Office of Conservation Order No. 990-B to the additional units for the Cotton Valley Formation, Reservoir B, and the field rules established Office of Conservation Order No. 990-C to the additional units for the Hosston Formation, Reservoir B, in the Woodardville Field; and
6. To consider and cover such other matters as the Commissioner of Conservation may deem appropriate and necessary under the circumstances.

The Hosston Formation, Reservoir B, in the Woodardville Field, Bienville and Red River Parishes, Louisiana, was defined in Office of Conservation Order No. 990-C, effective February 1, 2006; and was further defined by Office of Conservation Order No. 990-C-8, effective January 9, 2007.

The Cotton Valley Formation, Reservoir B, in the Woodardville Field, Bienville and Red River Parishes, Louisiana, was defined in Office of Conservation Order No. 990-B, effective September 13, 2005; and was redefined as to specific units in Office of Conservation Order No. 990-B-10, effective January 9, 2007.

Any pertinent data relating to this matter can be obtained, at the cost of the requesting party, from Mr. Daryl Fultz, Will-Drill Production Co. Inc., 416 Travis Street, Suite 1200, Shreveport, Louisiana 71101, telephone number (318) 222-7464.

A pre-application notice letter dated March 8, 2007, was sent to the Commissioner of Conservation and to all Interested Owners, Represented Parties, and Interested Parties named on the attached list. There was no request for a conference and none was held.

The list of parties which is attached to the copies of this letter being mailed to the Office of Conservation includes the names of all Interested Owners, Represented Parties and Interested Parties known to Applicant after a diligent search. A copy of this notice, with plat attached, is being sent to each party on the list. Pursuant to Office of Conservation regulations, the list of parties is being furnished only to the Commissioner of Conservation and to the District Manager of the Shreveport District of the Office of Conservation; however, the list of parties will be provided to any person

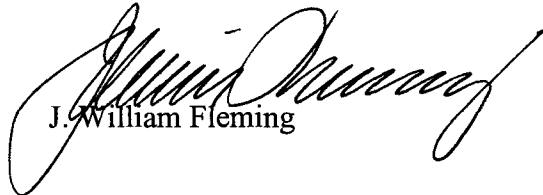
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requesting a copy of it. A check for the application fee is enclosed with the copy of this letter being mailed to the Commissioner of Conservation.

Yours very truly,

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J. William Fleming

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Enclosures

cc: James C. Broussard, District Manager  
Interested Owners, Represented  
Parties and Interested Parties  
Mr. Currie Smith  
Mr. Daryl Fultz



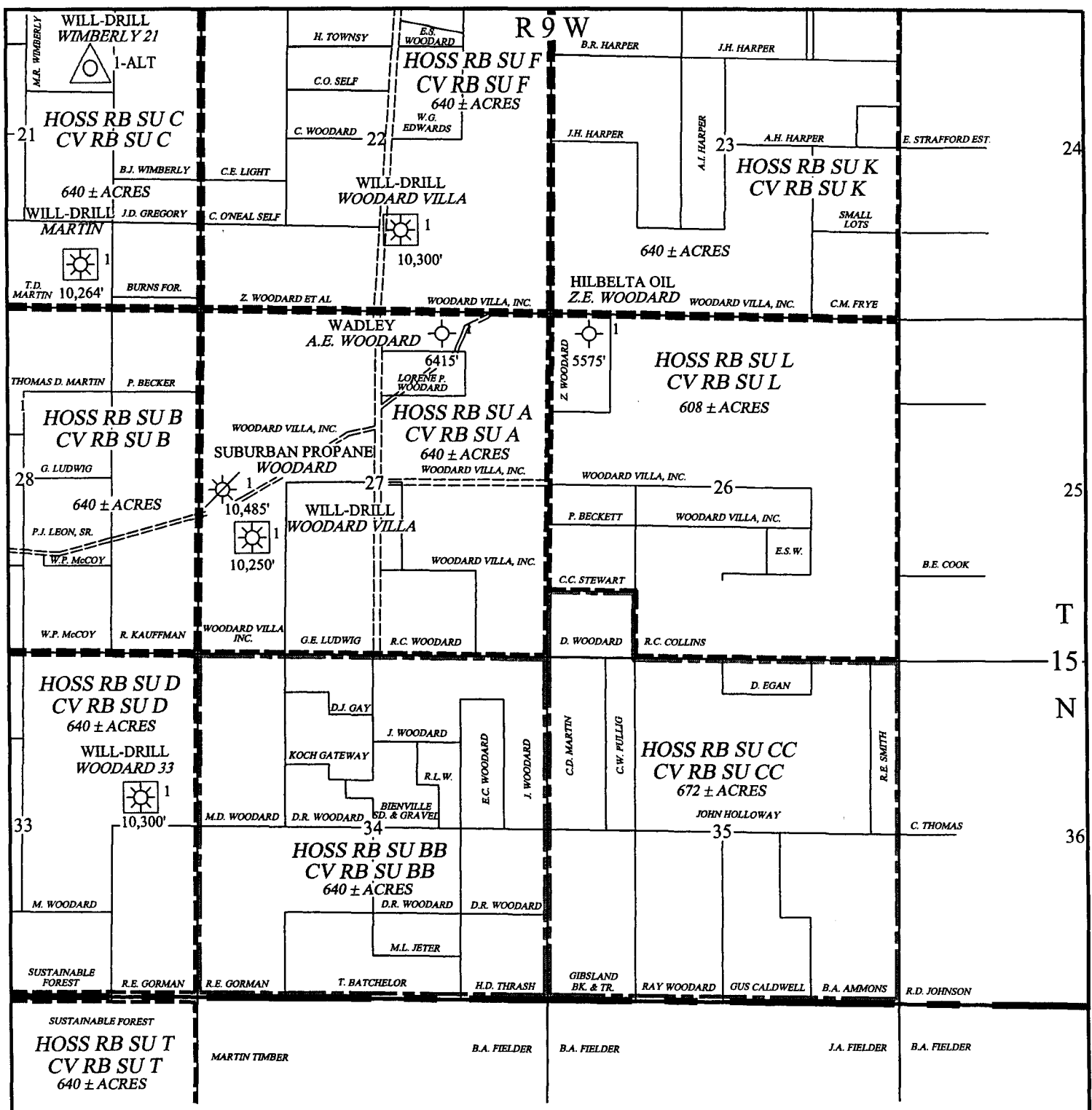


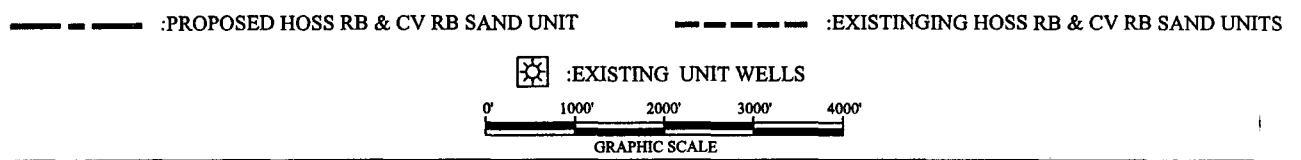
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**WILL-DRILL PRODUCTION CO., INC.**  
SHREVEPORT, LOUISIANA

**WOODARDVILLE FIELD**  
BIENVILLE PARISH, LOUISIANA

**PROPOSED HOSSTON RESERVOIR B SAND UNIT BB & CC**  
**PROPOSED COTTON VALLEY RESERVOIR B SAND UNIT BB & CC**



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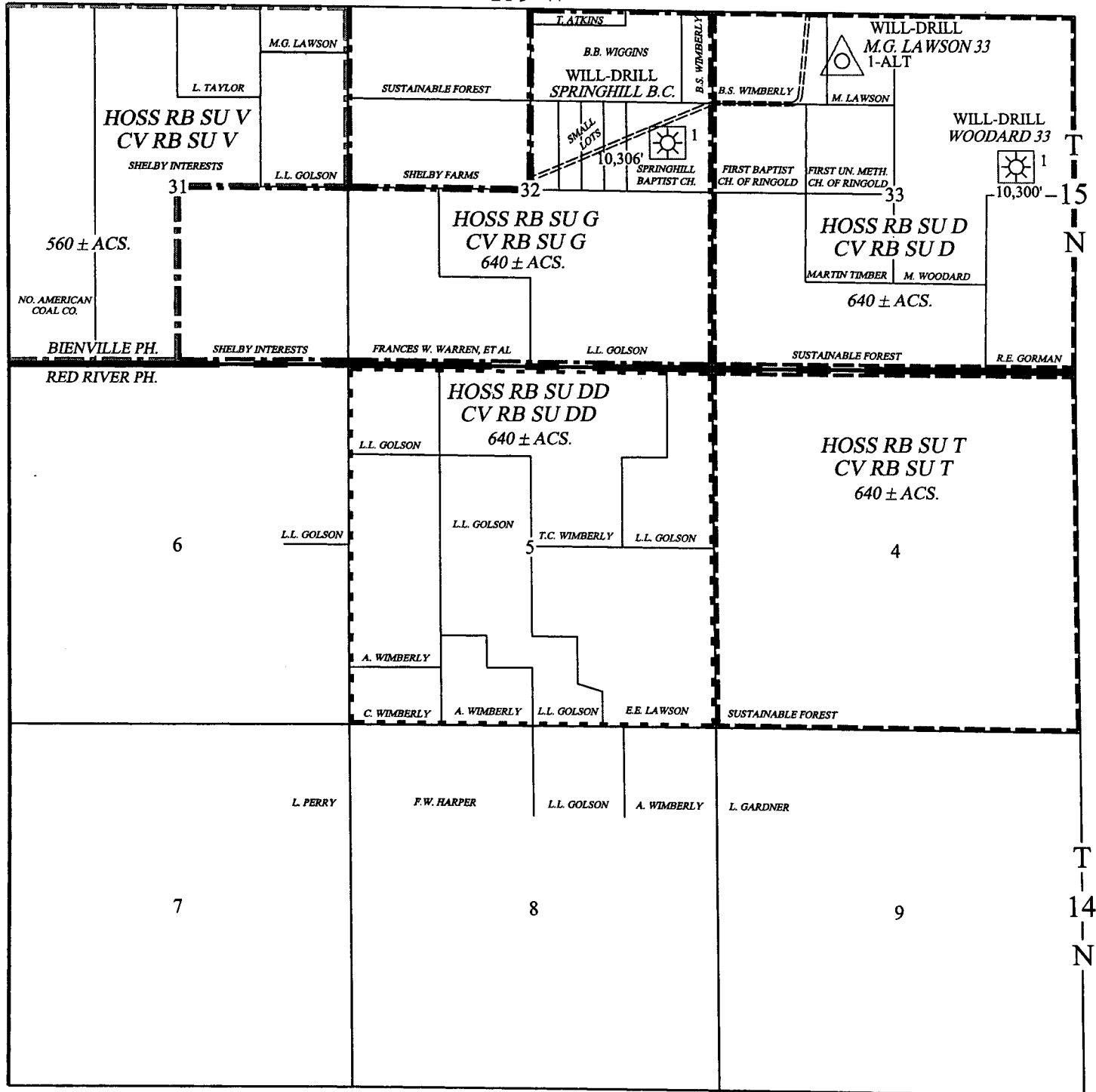


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## WOODARDVILLE FIELD RED RIVER PARISH, LOUISIANA

PROPOSED HOSSTON RESERVOIR B SAND UNIT DD  
PROPOSED COTTON VALLEY RESERVOIR B SAND UNIT DD

---: PROPOSED CV RB & HOSS RB SAND UNITS  
☀: EXISTING CV RB & HOSS RB UNIT WELLS

---: EXISTING CV RB & HOSS RB SAND UNITS  
⊙: PROPOSED CV RB & HOSS RB UNIT WELL

---: PENDING CV RB & HOSS RB SAND UNITS  
△: APPROVED CV RB & HOSS RB ALTERNATE UNIT WELLS

